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IN BUSINESS CIRCLES

Extra dividends and indications of others have furnished the feature of the week in business that has been absolutely free from the slightest tinge of excitement.

If there is one thing for which this Territory and this city will be noted it is the amount of prosperity that can be absorbed and the business community not turn a hair.

The stock list has been quiet to almost dull judged by the standards of the past six months, but remarkably active when lined up with the record of a year ago.

Ewa has advanced during the week and closed with 30 1/2 bid. Hawaiian Agricultural has also advanced under the influence of 2 1/2 inches of rain in Kau and the increase of its dividend to two per cent per month. Makaweli holds strong and none can be had less than 50 although the Exchange quotation goes through the antics of presenting 47 bid. Honokaa has held level but does not approach as nearly to par as many had expected. This plantation is expected to pay a dividend, or was expected to do so when the labor troubles threatened and put an end to the plan. What is now in mind among the operators of the property is not known. Onomea cannot be had less than 50. It would probably go higher if the directors of the property were not so erratic in their dividend policies. It is paying 4 per cent now, but there is no telling what it will be paying a year hence. Oahu on the other hand has held very even, advancing a fraction toward the end of the week. The crop of this plantation is not off but it will probably be handled with more despatch during the coming weeks and Manager Bull will make a record with a labor shortage that will make some of his associates look up. Pioneer is strong at 187. Waiwala is again the center of interest and sold at 116 1/2 with the dividend paid. There is a general belief that Waiwala must put out more money to its stockholders between now and the first of the year. Whether this will be done in the form of an extra dividend or an increase of the regular dividend is not made public.

Hawaiian pineapple has sold as high as 28 though it closed the week with 27 1/2 bid. Hilo Railway bonds are selling well at par.

The sugar crop will be finished in a few weeks now. Waiwala is one of the last to finish grinding and its crop will be all taken off some time the coming week. Oahu and Honolulu plantations are of course behind on account of the labor troubles. The total crop will be one of the best the islands have turned out and the average of prices has been remarkably good. According to all indications the price of sugar will hold up well in the coming year. Cuba of course controls our market, but its crop next season will not be much larger than for the one just passed, and the European beet sugar shortage is a reality to be reckoned with.

Announcement of an increase of monthly dividends for the remainder of the calendar year means that a nice sum will be added to the total of dividends paid out by the corporations listed on the Honolulu Stock and Bond Exchange. The total of regular monthly dividends with these new ones of Onomea and Hawaiian Agricultural added amount to \$605,950, and is made up as follows:

Dividends Payable on 30th.	
2	Brewer & Co. \$ 40,000
1	Ewa Plantation 50,000
2 1/2	Waimanalo Plantation 6,300
3	Hawaiian Electric 3,750
1	Olowalu 1,500
3 1/2	Hopo, B. & Malting Co. 3,900
1 1/2	Inter-Island S. N. Co. 11,250
1	Kahuku Plantation 5,000
2	Hawaiian Agric. Co. 24,000
1	Hawn, Pineapple Co. 4,900
Dividends Payable on 15th.	
1 1/2	Hawaiian Sugar Co. \$ 20,000
2	Oahu Sugar Co. 72,000
3 1/2	Oahu Railway & L. Co. 30,000
1	Pepeskeo Sugar Co. 7,500
1 1/2	Waiwala Agric. Co. 22,500
Dividends Payable on 10th.	
3	Paunohu Sugar Co. \$ 20,000
3	Waiuku Sugar Co. 45,000
20c	Hutchinson S. P. Co. 20,000
Dividends Payable on 5th.	
20c	Hawaiian Commercial \$ 80,000
4	Onomea Sugar P. Co. 40,000
1 1/2	Honolulu Sugar Pitt. 10,250
Dividends Payable on 5th.	
2	Hauku Sugar Co. \$ 10,000
2	Pala Sugar Co. 14,000
2	Pioneer Mill 15,000
\$565,950	

and a new record will undoubtedly be established by the island canneries. It is anticipated that the pack will reach fully \$20,000 cases. There is some of last year's pack yet in the warehouse, and Mr. Dole says that the present consumption will have to be doubled in order to take care of the supply now on hand. He does not look on the future as a pessimist but counsels that it is proper to act with caution.

One of the very significant features of the pineapple development is the estimate made by one who ought to know, that something like fifteen hundred Japanese workmen will be free to go into the cane fields when the pineapple crop is finished. This shows how much the industry of the "small farmer" is being operated by the white or citizen labor and it also proves how dependent the minor industries are upon the labor brought to the islands by or for the sugar planters. There is much food for thought in this situation.

Immigration matters appear to be progressing favorably. Mr. Atkinson, who is on the Russian mission, cables his arrival in Harbin, and he will presumably be heard from soon as headed this way after having made a thorough investigation of the possibilities of obtaining Russian families for settlers. Mr. Campbell is supposed to be in Madeira overseeing the immigrants assembling to come on the steamer chartered by the Board of Immigration.

Coincident with this outside work of our own people, Senator Dillingham, Mr. Wheeler and Prof. Mellis of the Immigration Commission have been making a very searching investigation into the present status of our island immigration and its future needs. What these men will report in behalf of the islands cannot be forecast, but it is certain that they have covered a wide territory, and gone into facts and figures in ferret style. They cannot fail to notice the fact that Hawaii being the farthest removed from European immigration centers of any place under the American flag, is entitled to some consideration.

Hawaii's Congressional guests sail on the Mongolia for their homes after three weeks touring the islands. They have had exceptional weather and the program has been carried out in a most satisfactory manner all along the line. The people have enjoyed the visit immensely and have profited by the advice given by the Congressmen. What the visitors think, they may or may not have told, but under any circumstances they have had the opportunity to gain their knowledge first hand and there is not the slightest doubt that the Territory and the Nation will profit from the visit. All the members speak favorably of the need for developing our harbors so that each island shall have at least one protected port. In the matter of fortifications, the sentiment is unanimous that the possible exception of that Prince of Peace, Dr. Bartholdt, that the islands, particularly Oahu, shall be fortified to make a strong hold second to none in the world.

In this connection the presence of Admiral Schreer's cruiser fleet in these waters for maneuvers and target practice, is a forerunner of what will be an annual event for these islands as the naval and military program of the Nation develops. Admiral Schreer has seven thousand enlisted men in his fleet.

Transportation between Honolulu and the Coast is a very live topic at the present time, and conditions are such that some of the American lines will have to take action if they want to hold the business. All through the summer the traffic to these islands has been as large as has previously ruled during the best winter season. The prospect for the winter is one of a record breaker and all steamers are booked to the limit. The Matson line has a new steamer that was launched successfully today and it will be ready for the service next spring. Now the problem is to take care of the passengers this winter. What the American lines will do cannot be forecast but in view of the fact that passenger steamers are lying idle on the Pacific Coast it would seem good business for the managers of some of the local lines having freight to carry to charter one of these ships with a view to showing their good intent as regards the passenger demands. If this is not done there is not the slightest doubt that the coastwise shipping law pensionists will have the best part of the argument.

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Clarence H. Cooke has been elected to the presidency of the Bank of Hawaii, made vacant by the death of his father, the late C. M. Cooke. Mr. Cooke is the youngest bank president and manager Hawaii has ever had and his elevation to this post again shows that Hawaii is the land of the young man.

Contracts have been called for the road-bed construction of the Rapid Transit line to Pearl Harbor. The concrete bridge construction will be done by the company.

H. P. Wood sails next week for the Orient on a semi-vacation that will include a visit to the leading business organizations of the Orient and Australia and New Zealand.

The Charles Brewer Estate on Wednesday signed up the final papers of the lease from the Bishop Estate of the property now occupied by the Bulletin office. It is the plan of the Brewer Estate to build a large warehouse in the rear of their Port Street block with an alley similar to that back of the Young Hotel and leading out to King street in the area now occupied by the Bulletin building. The building facing on King street will be for offices. The work in the rear may begin immediately but as the Bulletin lease does not expire till well into next year active building operations will hardly begin before the latter part of 1910. It is understood that the Brewer Estate has assumed a very high ground rent from the Bishop Estate, but all the rental space is taken up.

Real Estate is fairly active particularly as regards small homes, but everybody has been so busy with the Fleet and the Congressmen and the Immigration Commissioners that what can be put off has been side-tracked.

CONGRESSMEN ENJOY FAREWELL RECEPTION.

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Michigan: "Your country and people are a continual surprise. There are great possibilities here. Your hospitality is unbounded."

Representative James - Good of Iowa: "I am greatly interested in Hawaii and her development. Keep up the good work. I hope to get back again and see you."

Representative Padgett of Tennessee: "There is no reason why Hawaii should not take rank with any country of her size on industries and prosperity. The conditions here are ideal for agricultural pursuits."

Representative Humphreys of Illinois: "There are great chances here that are going to waste. Open up the country and give the home builders a welcome. Your scenery is fine and climate ideal."

Representative W. Augrey Thomas of Ohio: "Fine country this. Your volcano is a wonder, and these plantations are great. Get more homesteaders in and increase your population. It can be done."

Representative Richard Bartholdt of Missouri: "You have shown us all right. Hawaii has an excellent future. We have had a fine time, and will always do what we can for Hawaii."

Representative W. R. Ellis of Oregon: "We think Oregon is a pretty fine State, but Hawaii holds her own all right as to scenery, and your climate is great. We have had an elegant time and had a first-hand opportunity to make a study of conditions here."

Representative Woodyard of Pennsylvania: "You have fine harbor facilities here, and the new dock at Pearl Harbor is going to be a great addition to your commercial as well as military interests."

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According to Statistician Anderson during the month of August it cost 65 cents and a fraction per head a day to care, feed and shoe each of the 818 horses in the service. This does not include stable payroll expense. At the Fourth District stables \$1,217.77 was expended during the month and at the Fifth district barns, \$536.28. This included labor, feed and shoeing. Labor alone in caring for horses amounted to \$567.22.

SENATOR HAS WORD OF PRAISE.

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nances of Oriental labor had been naturally brought about by the closeness of the islands to China and Japan and the fact that the business of the country was largely based on one agricultural product.

Senator Dillingham also has words of appreciation for the manner in which the local business houses who are largely interested in labor have assisted the commission in its investigation.

From the manner in which both Senator Dillingham and William R. Wheeler commented on this feature of their work it would seem apparent that the commission has not always met with a similar desire upon the part of mainland corporations.

"You would naturally expect," said Commissioner Wheeler, "that some of the local business houses would be loath to allow their records to be presented to us, but on every hand we have found that they are more than ordinarily anxious to do their part in assisting us. It is certainly something that we are very

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